50 REQUEST 09/830,876 **Application Number** FOR Confirmation Number 5306 **CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)** Filing Date July 20, 2001 TRANSMITTAL PE First Named Inventor John H. SKERRITT MAIL STOP RCE 1641 Group Art Unit NOV 16 2005 Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Examiner Name Nguyen, B. Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 O-64066 Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, Matter Number **DETECTION OF PREHARVEST** provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995 Title SPROUTING IN CEREAL GRAINS This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 a. □ Previously submitted i. Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ii. 🗆 iii. 🗆 Other b. Enclosed Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 i. 🗹 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) ii. 🗆 iii.⊠ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Petition for Extension of Time iv. 🗹 v. 🗆 Other ____ 2. MISCELLANEOUS Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months b. □ A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$395.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all

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required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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